

To Hold Home Ext. Achievement Day

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26. PUBLIC IS INVITED

Crawford county will hold its first Home Extension Achievement Day in Grayling at the Michelson Memorial church on Wednesday, May 26.

Committees have been appointed and have been working and planning to make this day an enjoyable event. The exhibits will be ready at 11:00 A. M. Such displays showing: Fashions of 1937; Color harmonies; modern dress finishes; what colors are becoming to you; and the effect of line in dress, as well as washable covered purses, will make an attractive and interesting showing.

At 1:30 P. M. a program will start with music by the Grayling Glee club, after which Miss Alice Hertzler, home extension agent, will give a report of the year's work. Miss Eleanor Cramer, clothing specialist of Michigan State College will discuss the project for next year and also Farm Womens week which will be held at the State College the last week in July. The High school ensemble will furnish more music and then Mrs. Earl Broadbent, county chairman, will conduct a short business meeting. The Home Maker's certificates will be presented by Mr. Glidden, county agent. After this Miss Jessie Bath and Mrs. June Underwood will lead some community singing. The feature of the program will be an illustrated talk on "The History of Gardening," by H. L. W. Chapman, superintendent of the Beal Gardens at the Michigan State College.

Every one is invited to attend this meeting and enjoy the program with the Home Extension leaders and members.

Frederic Man Commits Suicide

William Brown, age 64, a bachelor living near Frederic, is believed to have committed suicide at his home some time Friday, by shooting himself through the head with a double barreled 12 gauge shotgun. The dead man was found Friday night by a couple of children of Mr. Baldwin, a neighbor. Mr. Brown had been working for the WPA during the winter. He was well liked by his neighbors and by the men with whom he worked. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the Sorenson Undertaking chapel. The whereabouts of any relatives are unknown.

Brown, it is reported, was unable to secure work to provide a living for himself so no doubt in a fit of despondency did the deed. There was a shot mark at the top of the man's head where it is thought he first shot himself with a slug it entering the wall back of where he lay. Not having made good at the first attempt, in a dazed condition he reloaded the gun with buckshot, this time holding the gun with his feet and discharging it with the aid of a stove poker, blowing off the greater part of his head.

Brown had been working for the WPA during the winter. He was well liked by his neighbors and by the men with whom he worked. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the Sorenson Undertaking chapel. The whereabouts of any relatives are unknown.

Notice

A public hearing on the budget for the City of Grayling for the year July 1, 1937—July 1, 1938, will be held at the City Hall at 8 P. M., Friday, May 28, 1937.

Geo. A. Granger, City Clerk.

Crawford County's Share \$19,660

Michigan counties this week were vouchered \$2,000,000 for the maintenance of former township roads.

The payment represented the first half of a \$4,000,000 annual return to the counties under the McNitt law abolishing the old township road system. More than 62,000 miles of roads, which formerly made up that system, have been taken over by the counties since the enactment of the McNitt statute of 1931.

Murray D. Van Wagoner, state highway commissioner, announced that current payment increases the total returns to the counties from highway revenues to \$13,873,445 to date this year.

Previous returns to the counties were made up of \$1,275,000 from gasoline tax revenues and a \$10,598,445 first-quarter payment from weight tax measures.

In addition to the McNitt law payment of \$4,000,000 a year from the gas tax, the counties receive all of the weight tax collections, and an additional \$2,550,000 from the gasoline levy. The latter was voted by the legislature in 1934 when it reduced the weight tax 36 per cent.

Current payments by those counties in which local readers are interested include:

Crawford county \$19,660.62

Roscommon county \$9,443.66

Otsego county \$21,687.93

JUNIOR PROM FRIDAY NIGHT Largest Social Event of School Year

Tomorrow (Friday) night will be the annual Junior Prom. The decorations are nearly complete and the big gym promises to present a dress in keeping with the high type of the occasion. The decorating was done by the Juniors under the direction of their sponsors, Miss Tumath and Miss Dorr.

The class of 1938 will never again present a high school junior prom and we may be assured that these young men and women are going to do their best to make their party a beautiful one in every particular.

Iverson's Melodiers have been engaged to furnish the music. Buy a ticket, and, better still, be among those to enjoy the event tomorrow night.

LOCAL DRS. REMODEL OFFICES

For several weeks past patients at the offices of Drs. Keyport & Clippert have had to endure disorder and the smell of fresh paint while workmen were giving the place a complete remodeling and redecorating. Then after that was finished along came the furniture man with a load of brand new chairs and settees for the waiting room. One would hardly recognize it now as the same waiting room.

Artistically decorated in tans and new floor covering and chrome leather seats, new indirect lighting, tables and rugs make this the most beautifully and comfortably furnished office and waiting room of any place we know of in the north.

The waiting room is not only beautiful to look at but is par excellence in comfort as well.

Bids Wanted

Bids for furnishing 40 tons of furnace coal for the Crawford County Infirmary, will be received up to and including June 5, 1937.

We reserve the right to accept or reject all bids.

Daisy Barnett, Sec'y.
5-20-3 Co. Poor Commission.

A dramatic tale of Continental espionage by E. Phillips Oppenheim appears in This Week, the magazine with next Sunday's Detroit News. Watch for this great story entitled, "Flower of Death."

Love, Honor and Obey



Non-partisan News Letter
Michigan Press Association
By GENE ALLEMAN

Lansing—Paralleling Governor Murphy's labor relations bill (House Bill 571) which would invest the state executive with authority of a strike dictator is a milk control board bill (House Bill 368) by Hatch, Priest, Jarvis and Schneider which would give the state authority to fix the price of milk.

Both measures are far-reaching in their proposals to increase state powers.

What the labor relations bill would do to industrial centers, the farm control bill would do to rural dairy centers. Both would set up the state government as the mighty arbiter between labor and the producer.

"Farmers Near Strike"

Declares Roy McDonald of St. Clair, vice-president of the Michigan Farmers' Union, which is urging enactment of the milk control bill: "Farmers are on the verge of a strike in Michigan."

Opposing the price-fixing plan are the National Milk Producers association and the State Milk Producers association, whose officials believe that governmental tinkering of the law of supply and demand would merely increase prices, lower demand, and leave the producer no better off than he is today.

As this news letter pointed out five weeks ago, the agitation for minimum wages, maximum hours and other benefits to industrial workers could not reach the point of a state statute without a similar agitation being started among farmers for state regulation of farm prices. The gate was opened wide to such price-fixing when the United States supreme court upheld a Virginia milk price control law, declaring that the state possessed such powers in the interest of public welfare.

Higher Prices

Settlement of many sit-down strikes in Michigan was made on the basis of higher wages to workers, thus adding to the spiraling cost of products which the farmer has to buy, although farm prices have not advanced to a corresponding degree.

Passage of the milk control bill would mean higher prices for consumers by restricting competition among producers.

The legislature has already passed a trade mark bill giving the manufacturer the right to fix prices of goods to be sold in Michigan and penalizing retailers who undercut these established prices.

It is of interest to note that legislative steps to restrict competition in business inevitably lead to higher prices for the consumer to pay. The NRA and its attempts to restrain competition served to whet the appetite of independent retailers for similar state regulations now aimed principally at chain store competitors.

It now appears as if the milk control board plan, stabilizing the dairy industry in Michigan, is sought primarily by independent producers—"the little fellows"—as a means of lessening competition from the big producers, many of whom are organized nationally like chain store companies.

Michigan may have a dairy "AAA" in a few months if the milk price-fixing bill is enacted into law by the legislature.

Reorganized State Fairs

Governor Frank Murphy's inaugural message to the legislature gave consideration to governmental reforms and social legislation, but omitted reference to farm needs.

Formerly mayor of Detroit and governor of the Philippines, Murphy has devoted a major part of his time since the inaugural January 1 to problems of Michigan cities.

A few days ago he re-organized the governing bodies of Michigan's two agricultural fairs, declaring: "The agricultural character of the state has been slurred and subordinated in the industrial areas of the state. The fair at Detroit has been shabby, rather than an outstanding achievement of the state."

Liquor Control

Sale of liquor by the glass in all communities, excepting those specifically voting against it, would be permitted in Michigan under a bill favored by the House liquor traffic committee. It would set up a \$500 annual license fee for taverns selling beer, wine and liquor by the glass and would prohibit sale of liquor to persons under 21.

Twenty per cent of the voters of any community could initiate a referendum on the question of sale by glass.

Since the days of King Louis XIV of France, who imposed bone-dry prohibition on the French post of St. Ignace, Michigan has been wrestling with the liquor problem. The solution is like a mirage; it is not what you thought it was going to be.

Hollywood and Detroit

When a foreigner comes to the United States, he usually visits New York, Hollywood and Detroit.

New York is the symbol of skyscraper prosperity; Hollywood, American movies; and Detroit, automobiles.

P. A. Menon, native magistrate from India, visited Detroit automobile factories last week and observed: "You are in such a hurry in Detroit. You are always rushing somewhere and when you arrive you hurry somewhere else. You never sit still long enough to enjoy life."

Magistrate Menon's visit to Detroit gives emphasis to the invitation by the New York 1939 World's Fair to have the Michigan legislature appropriate funds for a Michigan state exhibit. When foreigners come to see New York's world fair, many of them will also come to Detroit to visit the automobile factories.

Armaments and Michigan

Europe's feverish race for war armaments is pepping up the mining business in the Upper Peninsula.

Reports from Ishpeming Iron Ore: "During the years of the recent depression the statement was frequently heard in mining circles that the Lake Superior district would never again experience a 60,000,000-ton iron ore year. . . . It begins to look as though the prediction would not

Boy Scouts Guests Of Kiwanis Club

DEMONSTRATE SCOUT ACTIVITIES

One of the most pleasant meetings of the Kiwanis club was that of Wednesday when about fifteen members of Grayling Boy Scout Troop No. 72 were guests of the members at their noon luncheon. The occasion was in honor of their new field executive Earl R. Cristman of Bay City.

During the dinner that preceded the regular program of the meeting, announcement was made of next week's meeting when Lieutenant Governor James Robertson will be here for an official visit. He will be accompanied by three young men, all of whom are musicians. Every Kiwanian should be present to greet our lieutenant governor.

Also on June 9th there will be a meeting of the clubs in the eighth district at Traverse City, Grayling is a member of that district and it is hoped that there will be a goodly representation of local members at that meeting. Gov. Stanley Johnson and Lt. Gov. Jas. Robertson will be in attendance. Kiwanians are invited to be there and spend the day if convenient. The official meeting will begin with a banquet at 6:00 p. m. at the Park Place hotel. This will be followed by a program of business and

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MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

The American Legion invites all patriotic organizations and their auxiliaries, Boy and Girl Scouts, lodges and school children to participate with them in the annual memorial service on Memorial Day May 30th.

Exercises will start promptly at 12:00 noon and everyone taking part is asked to be at the hall at 11:30 o'clock.

At 9:30 a. m. services will be conducted at Frederic and members of the American Legion and Drum corps are requested to be at the hall at 8:30 o'clock.

5-20-2 Committee.

ESTABLISH BOAT LIVERY

A boat livery, a long needed feature, has been established in Grayling. Chris Hoesli and Ernest Borchers are the enterprising owners and already have put in a large number of fine canoes. Local residents and visitors alike may now be certain to get boat service whenever they desire, without fuss or delay.

This is something Grayling has needed for many years and should meet with hearty approval by the public. Headquarters are at Grayling Greenhouses and anyone desiring to communicate with them may call the Greenhouse, phone number 36.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Johnston, of 12795 Ardmore avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Frances, to Howard G. Schmidt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Holger Schmidt, of Grayling. The wedding date will be announced later.—Detroit News.

MEN'S SOFT BALL LEAGUE

There will be an organization meeting of the Men's Recreation soft ball league at Wells field, Monday night, May 24 at 7:00 o'clock.

All men and young men who wish to play this summer are invited to attend as well as teams already organized.

Recreational Leaders.

be fulfilled, for right now there are indications that 60,000,000 tons of ore will go down the lakes in 1937.

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EDITORIAL

Full-Time Manager(?)

A group of business men were holding an informal round-table discussion recently when the matter of a Chamber of Commerce came up. The need of some definite organization working for the good of the community was expressed by all present, but the idea of having a large number of organizations in the community and thus the consequent cost of maintenance didn't strike full accord.

Just why a city must have a board of trade when any other organization now in existence could perform the same duties was quite fully discussed. The Kiwanis club is not a commercial organization and their objectives are for better community ideals and for the benefit of underprivileged boys and girls and boy scouts, and for, in general, better citizenship. While it could be depended upon that every member of that organization could be relied upon to affiliate with any organization doing Board of Trade work.

The Izaak Walton League with a membership of over 100, is made up of a live group of men and, we understand, is ready to cooperate with the public in any way possible. The membership cost in the league is only \$2.50 per year and it was suggested that the officers be approached to find out if a public affairs committee could be arranged within its organization to carry on some of the functions of a board of trade. The officers are Royal A. Wright, president, Jack Redhead, vice president, Ernest Borchers, second vice president, Axel Peterson, secretary-treasurer.

The discussion waxed warm when the matter came up of considering the employment of a full-time secretary who might devote his entire time to the public welfare of Grayling, and to aid any outside county interests that develop. True, this would cost money, but it was generally believed that the results from such a plan would bring beneficial results that would well justify the cost.

We believe that such a movement would be one of the best things that could happen to our community. Let's face the true facts and get together soon and see if some plan along those above mentioned cannot be worked out for the good of Grayling.

The President of the Rube Babbitt Izaak Walton League chapter Mr. R. A. Wright, advises that their organization will be pleased to sponsor any special events and take over the duties that would normally fall upon the shoulders of a chamber of commerce, contingent upon all activities of a civic nature be handled within the one organization to eliminate divided effort and that this organization receive the proper support and cooperation of the citizens of Grayling.

The Kiwanis at their weekly meeting passed a resolution requesting that the local chapter of the Izaak Walton League sponsor the annual Canoe Carnival this year, which they have agreed to do. A committee will be appointed at the next regular meeting of the local Chapter, which will be Thursday, June 4, 1937 to handle the canoe carnival.

Next week's Avalanche will carry a notice of a general meeting that will be called to bring all citizens of Grayling together that a definite working plan may be adopted to handle all civic affairs in the future.



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THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1937

K OF C CARAVAN

With the rapid approach of their convention date, May 29, 30 and 31, Michigan Knights of Columbus are centering their attention on Escanaba, the site of this year's annual meet.

This year with the Memorial Day weekend holiday in prospect, many are planning to join a northward trek of Knights. Arrangements are being made for the downstate Knights to meet at St. Ignace where they will form a motorcade of cars and then proceed en-masse to Escanaba.

Tentative arrangements call for the celebration of a special mass Sunday morning May 30, at St. Ignace, conveniently timed so that Knights from the lower peninsula can leave their homes early Sunday morning, attend the special caravan service at St. Ignace, and then join the caravan group along U. S. 2 on to Escanaba.

Grand Knight Richard Lovely announced here today that Grayling Council No. 1982 will send three delegates in the motor caravan going to the Michigan K. of C. convention at Escanaba on May 29, 30 and 31, who will include himself William Heric and Arnold Burrows.

THROUGH A WOMAN'S EYES • By JEAN NEWTON

FAITH WILL BUY BREAD

A WELL-KNOWN minister said that our only hope of working out of the present troubled conditions is by overcoming fear and having faith.

He spoke of faith, of course, in its religious significance, and then he said, "Faith is the only secure anchorage upon which man can lean during these times." To which someone replied, "Faith won't buy bread for your children." And since it was to me that that remark was made, I feel impelled to answer it in the light of the everyday significance which faith has for all of us, entirely aside from one's religious views.

There are so many kinds of faith—and compared to the miracles it has wrought buying bread for one's children is simple. Certain it is, that there is nothing so potent to insure failure in anything as the lack of faith.

There is one kind of faith that has bought bread for many people's children—and jam to enjoy with it. That is faith in one's self. There is no power so potent for over-riding obstacles, for battering down bars and leaping gates—as faith in one's self.

Next to faith in one's self is faith in other people, faith in their decency and the essential honesty of their motives; faith in the idea that people are not actuated in what they do by a desire to cut each other's throats, that men and women would much rather do a kind act than a mean one, and that we are all eager enough to do our bit to carry on. With faith in people comes that faith in the eventual balancing and righting of things which helps to a philosophic attitude and a sense of humor.

Faith is a golden thing in all times. In troubled times it is indeed an anchorage for those adrift.

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Pediatrics Lectures Very Interesting

Much interest is manifest in the series of postgraduate lectures in pediatrics that are being presented each Wednesday evening at the Graham Memorial Nurses Home.

Last week Wednesday the assemblage of some 20 doctors and 15 nurses listened to Doctor Cole, pediatrician of Detroit give his interesting lecture on "Abnormalities of the New Born."

Last evening Doctor Law of the University of Michigan talked on "Respiratory Diseases and Pneumonia in Children."

The last of the four lectures will take place next week and Doctor Johnston of Ford Hospital, Detroit, will be the speaker.

HAS ATTRACTIVE NEW MILK BOTTLE

Amos Hunter, proprietor of Grayling Dairy, believes in changing the dress of his milk bottle now and then and now has another attractive design of lettering, in orange and blue. The wording proclaims "Pure Jersey Milk" and "Creamed Cottage Cheese" for which this dairy is famous. A new cap tops the bottle which advertises Grayling's recreational advantages. On one side of the firm name is a skating scene, heralding Grayling Winter Sports and on the other a diving scene advertising this section's summer resorts. This is done in red and blue.

This spring a fine new refrigerator was built at the Dairy, 5½ x 10 feet, to properly take care of the cooling of dairy products.

Michelson Memorial Church A Community Church

Edgar Flory, Pastor.

Thursday, May 20th
4:00 o'clock—Junior Church service.

7:30 o'clock: Fellowship Forum at the parsonage. Devotions and a discussion of current topics in the light of religion.

Sunday, May 23rd
10 o'clock: Church School.
11 o'clock: Morning Worship.

Church Notes

Children's Day will be observed on June 6th at the 11 o'clock hour. The program will be in charge of the Church School.

A Memorial Day sermon will be given on May 30th at the regular church hour.

Every one is cordially invited to the services of this church.



Eighteen members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Golf Club met for a pot luck luncheon Wednesday afternoon.

The golfers met at ten o'clock and played two blind holes. Miss Jayne Keyport winning the honors. Following the luncheon two tables of contract were in play, high score being held by Mrs. O. P. Schumann.

Mrs. Cora Crowl of Cheboygan was a guest of the club.

Sunday, May 30, there will be a pot luck dinner for the ladies and gentlemen.

CARD OF THANKS

I am very appreciative for the many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy during the illness and the passing of my husband. This includes many friends at Shoppenagons Inn, members of the Moose Lodge, Rev. Flory, the church choir, and my neighbors and friends.

Mrs. Frank Cochran.

Personals

John Kraft of Rose City spent the week end with his brother, Emory Kraft and family.

B. J. Callahan and son Jack were in Merrill, Mich., Sunday, visiting relatives and friends.

See the new men's and boy's White Oxfords at \$2.50 to \$5.00, at Olsons.

Eugene Gill and Louise LaVack spent Sunday in Traverse City and Frankfort, visiting friends.

Anthony Green was in Cadillac over the week end and the guest of Harold Pauquette.

F. J. McClain Jr. spent a couple of days the forepart of the week in Detroit.

Mrs. D. Scott of Bellaire visited in the home of John Kolka over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lindley of Lansing spent the week end with the latter's mother, Mrs. Carrie Anderson.

Mrs. Holger Schmidt spent the week end visiting Miss Marie and Howard, who are employed in Detroit.

Mrs. Thelma Allen and son Lawrence spent the week end in Grand Rapids with Mrs. Allen's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nelson and family spent Sunday in Flint, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Derby.

Mrs. Sherman Neal, Mrs. N. VanNatter and Mrs. Louis Malonen, were in Traverse City Monday on business.

Mrs. Sherman Neal and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Malonen and son spent Sunday in Rose City guests of Mrs. Neal's parents.

Mrs. James Rodgers of Clare is visiting her daughter and husband, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Stealy for a couple of weeks.

Delbert Wheeler who is employed for the M.C.R.R. Co. in Detroit, is spending a few days with his family in Grayling.

William Miller visited his mother Mrs. Edna Whipple and sister Miss Jean and other relatives in Grayling over Sunday.

Elmer Neal who is employed in Detroit, spent the week end at his home here Mrs. Neal returning with him to Detroit for a visit.

Mrs. Frank Barnhart visited her father James J. Hirst, in Burt, Mich., over the week end. She also visited in Chesaning with other relatives.

Leo Jorgenson and daughter Leone and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilbur visited Mrs. Jorgenson at Lockwood Hospital in Petoskey Sunday. The latter is recovering nicely from an operation she submitted to the forepart of last week.

H. O. Scarlett of Detroit enjoyed being one of a party of men who were guests of Carl E. Johnson of Detroit at his AuSable river cabin for the week end. Fishing was the pastime. Mrs. Scarlett accompanied the party and while here visited the Sheehy family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson and two children of Chanute, Ill., are visiting Mr. Anderson's mother Mrs. Carrie Anderson, and sister Mrs. Otto Nelson, for a couple of weeks. They expect to leave here for Panama where Mr. Anderson will be stationed for two years with the U. S. Army Aviation Corps.

Plumbing and Heating

Now is the time of year to put in new plumbing and to make repairs and changes. Don't put it off. Have it done now.

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S. D. Palmer
MASTER PLUMBER

Miss Margrethe Nielsen spent the week end in Saginaw, visiting friends.

Grand opening of Horseshoe Lake Saturday night, May 22nd with dance.

Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Flory entertained Dr. and Mrs. Paul Flory of Olivet over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bousson spent Sunday visiting the Frank Tetu family at West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simpson of Romeo spent Sunday visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Wingard, and sister, Mrs. A. J. Trudeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Michelson of Detroit are opening their summer home at Lake Margrethe, preparatory to spending the summer there.

Mrs. Stanley Stealy and Mrs. Roy Milnes returned Thursday from Clare. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. James Rodgers.

Mrs. Eva Wingard returned home Saturday from an enjoyable two weeks visit, the guest of Mrs. Ralph Klienhardt (Ruth Harrington) in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weiler and daughter Sandra accompanied by Miss Margaret Weiler of Flint, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bugby.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Sancier and daughters Yvonne and Mrs. Willard Harwood, and little daughter Jerry Mae, spent Sunday in Gladwin visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Uren of Flint, and Mrs. Mayme Thompson of Saskatchewan, Canada, stopped in Grayling Sunday at the home of John Kolka, enroute to Canada.

Miss Ethel Taylor who is employed in the Nichols Memorial Hospital at Battle Creek, arrived home Monday afternoon to visit relatives and friends until Friday.

Mrs. Leo Koerper and Mrs. Emma Ingley, who were guests for a fortnight of Miss Jane Ingley at "Wildwood," Lake Margrethe, returned to their homes Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giegling and family, left Wednesday to visit the tulip festival at Holland. Later they will go to Chicago on business, expecting to return here Tuesday.

Miss Betty Welsh of Saginaw visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welsh the first of the week. Mrs. Welsh accompanied her to Saginaw Tuesday morning to spend the day.

Mrs. D. W. Horning and daughter Gail of Detroit, accompanied Mrs. Harold Cliff on her return from Detroit and spent the week end at the Hanson cottage, "Oakmere" at the Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson and family, Mrs. Rose Parker and the Misses Audrey Brado and Marjorie Niederer spent the week end in St. Louis, Mich., and Lansing, visiting relatives.

Mrs. Neal McDaniels left for Bay City, Saginaw and Pontiac Tuesday. She expects to be gone a week visiting friends in Saginaw and Bay City and then to visit her husband who is employed in Pontiac.

Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson returned home Saturday from an extended visit with her children in Detroit and Pontiac. She was accompanied by her sons Ernest and family and Benny, the latter who is remaining for a couple of weeks visit.

James Ford of Chicago, a former Grayling boy, was in Grayling over the week end visiting his uncle Charles Ford, and old friends. He makes a trip occasionally to the old home and his friends are always glad to see him.

Mrs. Alex LaGrow is in Detroit visiting her children this week, going for the purpose of attending the wedding of her son Jack, that will occur Saturday morning. The latter and Randall Sargent of Detroit were here for the week end.

Mrs. Charles David of Flint, and Mrs. Lee Perrigo of Saginaw are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bugby for a couple of weeks. Their husbands accompanied them and spent the week end here, also Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lynch of Flint were here.

DANCE

The Cheerful Givers of Lovells will give weekly dances, starting tonight, Thursday, at the Lovells Town Hall. The Poki Dots will furnish the music. Lunch will be served.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Nick Schjotz is having a cement foundation placed under the building that he recently had moved back on his lot from Peninsula Avenue.

The Sewage Disposal Plant bonds were all disposed of May 7th and construction on the plant was authorized to start May 17th. Actual construction will be under way in a few days, and it is expected that the plant will be completed sometime in September.

Paddy Burke who lives at Frederic and drives to work in Grayling every day, noticed two deer Monday morning, one on each side of the road about 20 rods apart just about 1½ miles south of Frederic. Both were dead, evidently having been killed by an auto.

The Leonard Goulding family of Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fox and baby of Gaylord, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson and little son Ronald of Grayling spent Sunday in Frederic with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burke. The occasion was to celebrate the birthdays of the ladies, all daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Burke whose birthdays all fall in May. Eight grandchildren were present.

Legion Auxiliary Notes

All Auxiliary members are to meet at Legion Hall, Decoration Day. From there they will go in a body and participate in the ceremony at the cemetery.

American Legion Junior Boys and Girls will sell the American Legion Poppy under the supervision of Mrs. Elsie Rasmussen and Mrs. Pauline Trudeau.

Regular social meeting Tuesday evening, May 25th. Cards and lunch.

We are asking all children 10 years and older of members of the American Legion and Auxiliary to be at the American Legion hall, Friday, May 21st, at 7:00 o'clock. The meeting is to plan the annual poppy sale.

Poppy Comm.

Lovells

Mrs. Mary Brenton of the Nash Kamp, went to Flint last week to attend the wedding of a friend.

J. W. Anderson and son Bruce, of Detroit, are staying for some time at the Anderson lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Orr, of Saginaw, enjoyed a few days at the Kuehl cabin.

Lorna Deer Nephew is ill with the measles.

Mr. Howard McCann of Detroit is building a cabin near Lovells.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gregg and children, of Kalkaska, visited Mrs. Gregg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nephew.

A baby boy has come to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Dudd, of Marine City, enjoyed some time at their cabin.

Nick Loeffler of Detroit enjoyed the week end at his lodge.

Frank Langstrom and family, of Detroit, spent the week end at their cabin.

Mrs. Charles Wedding has arrived at her camp on Shoepack Lake, after spending the winter in the south.

John Watling and a party of friends enjoyed the week end at Big Creek Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stillwagon and Joseph Vance, want to thank everyone for their kindness at the time they lost their home by fire.

Biggest Beetle Known
The elephant beetle is the biggest beetle known. It is about six inches long. Although known to be the largest member of its clan, the elephant beetle is only one of thousands of different kinds of beetles. In fact, there are so many that if you learned the name of a different beetle every day it would take you at least 548 years to learn all the beetles that have already been named. Some are so small that they can be seen only through a magnifying glass. Some are the heaviest insects in the world. Some live in water. Some live underground and are blind. Fireflies or lightning bugs belong to the beetle order. Then there are tiger beetles, scarab beetles, snail-eating beetles, burying beetles, rhinoceros beetles and 200,000 other kinds.

Want Ads

FOR SALE CHEAP—Blue-tick female hunting dog. Inquire of Frank LaMotte, Grayling. 1tp

FOR SALE—6 year old Holstein and Jersey cow, fresh. Elizabeth Milliken, on Erie and Vine streets, Grayling.

FOR SALE—Two young Hamiltonian saddle mares at Simpson's Ranch, Moorestown, Mich., State Road No. 4. 5-20-4

FOR SALE—Ford sedan, Model T, in good condition. Johannes Rasmussen. 5-20-2

FOR SALE—Two steel water tanks, one 8x2x2 feet; the other round and 2x5 feet, price \$5.00 each. Also a Model T truck with Worford transmission \$20.00. Inquire at Avalanche office. 5-2-2

FOR SALE—I have some Extra Early Dent/Seed Corn for sale. F. E. Love, Route No. 1, Roscommon, Mich.

FOR SALE—Airway vacuum cleaner, little used, and like new. Also china cabinet. Both in excellent condition and offered at big bargains. May be seen any afternoon. Inquire at Avalanche Office.

FOR SALE—4 Lincoln bucks, about 5 years old each. A. B. Lincoln, at South Branch Ranch, address Roscommon, Mich.

FOR SALE—42 inch electric ironer in good condition. Would do laundry work for restaurant, clubhouse or small hotel. Mrs. Anna Decker, Roscommon, Mich. 5-13-4

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, May 23, 1914

Grayling Lodge Knights of Pythias had a gala time last night when they conferred the second and third ranks upon a class of ten. The rank of Esquire was conferred upon James Thompson, after which a class consisting of the following was initiated in the mysteries of the rank of Knighthood: Rev. V. J. Hutton, Earl Dawson, Emil Kraus, Fred Mutton, L. J. Kraus, William Cody, Peter Davidson, Holger "Dad" Hanson, G. Purcell, and James Thompson.

Paul Ford is supplying the Olson Drug Store as a soda dispenser during the absence of George McPeak, who is ill.

Miss Cora Mickelson of Detroit is visiting her father, Peter Mickelson, and other relatives and friends for a week.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Corwin of Oak Grove farm near Pere Cheney, on Wednesday morning of this week.

T. W. Hanson, John J. Niederer, Marius Hanson and O. P. Schumann attended the Republican Welfare conference at Detroit Tuesday.

Miss Irene Lesprance will take up her duties as clerk in the Grayling Mercantile Co. store next Monday, Miss Martha Joseph having resigned her position.

Mrs. Clarence Claggett and little daughter Dorothy arrived from Johannesburg on Tuesday for a two weeks' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen.

According to state game and fire wardens there are 48,000 deer in Michigan, 44,000 in the upper peninsula and 4,000 in the northern part of the lower area of the state south of the Straits of Mackinac.

Mrs. Nelson Corwin returned one day last week from West Virginia after a three weeks absence. She was called to

Walsh, West Virginia on account of her brother being seriously injured in an auto accident. Mrs. Corwin also visited her parents in Bluefield, West Virginia.

Special efforts are being made to hurry up the state fish hatchery that is to be located on the East Branch. To aid in the establishing of this club was organized, the first of the week, at the Rainbow fishing club and Marius Hanson was elected president and Frank Calkins, secretary. Messrs T. W. Hanson and Marius Hanson were in Detroit the first of the week and while there interested others to assist in this project. It is quite certain that the hatchery will be established here sometime this year.

Perched within a pillow-laden canoe on the AuSable river and singing in harmonious chorus, "Sit Down! Sit Down! Sit Down, You're Rocking the Boat" four young people last Sunday morning took a dive into the chilly waters. One of the fair occupants had shifted her gum, and another had choked from a frog in her throat, and the canoe acted just like any other good canoe would act under such treatment, just as the admonitory tones of the song were smothered in the rush of the chilly waters.

As the sofa pillows floated down stream four badly frightened young people struggled to the shore from the waters that were more chilly than deep. And to add to the discomforts the elements began pouring down a torrent of rain, thus breaking up what might have been a pleasant day on the river.

Forest fires in Beaver Creek took several strips of our forests both in the hardwood and on the plains. By hard fighting a number of farmers were able to ward off any loss to their buildings, though there were some narrow escapes.

R. Hanson has fenced off 2,500 acres of land a few miles north

of the city and will use it for a cattle ranch. Forty head of cattle are always pastured there. Tony Nelson has been engaged to act as manager of the ranch.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vallad of Maple Forest, Saturday, May 23rd, a fine baby boy.

Frank Kelton, of Bay City, is the latest aspirant for congressional nomination on the Republican ticket. He is a brother of Mrs. Fred Mickelson.

A painful accident befell little Frieda Narrin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Narrin, last evening when she tripped over a dog while playing near her home and fell, breaking her left arm at the elbow and shoulder, tearing the ligaments severely.

In honor of the Misses Alice Corrigan, Catherine O'Leary and Maude Tetu, who graduate from Mercy Hospital Training school tonight, the Misses Irene and Hettie Balhoff gave a six o'clock dinner at their home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. E. E. Hartwick and son, and Fred Mickelson arrived in the city yesterday from Detroit for a few days visit and recreation.

Mr. Philip Elijah Quigley and Miss Lucy Adelaide Ensign were united in marriage on Monday, May 25th, by the Rev. V. J. Hutton at the M. E. parsonage.

The pitching staff of the Grayling baseball team at present consists of Carl Johnson, Elmer Haire and "Babe" Laurent. Desy, recently acquired from Mackinac City will play behind the bat until Bibbins arrives.

Dan Moshier has resigned his position on the Michigan Central railroad and will devote his attention to their cattle ranch, located down the river.

Last evening occurred the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. James Carrière, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Charlefour, at Frederic, at six o'clock.

A number of young folks enjoyed a marshmallow roast out at Leeces grove on Monday evening of this week. It was given in honor of the Misses Frieda Olson and Signa Elerson of Detroit who spent several days here visiting relatives and friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eno Milnes on Saturday, May 23rd, a fine little son.

Miss Margaret Jensen arrived on Saturday from Neoga, Ill., to spend the summer at the home of her aunt, Miss Carrie Jorgenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McNeven of Flint, former residents of this city, arrived on Saturday to spend the summer here with their sons, Peter, James and William McNeven, and families.

Instead of the usual reception given the seniors by the juniors each year, this year by way of entertainment a dancing party was given out at the Military Reservation Friday evening. Members of both classes had the privilege of inviting one friend outside of the class, making up a party of about fifty with the High school faculty. The party met at the home of Miss Margaret Joseph and in wagons proceeded to the reservation. It was about eight o'clock when they arrived there and dancing was begun at once, with Clark's orchestra furnishing the excellent music. The dance hall was prettily decorated in the senior class colors, blue and gold. At 12:00 o'clock a dainty lap lunch was served by the juniors, after which dancing was resumed until 1:00, when the party broke up and started for home. It was one of the most enjoyable of the High school parties this season.

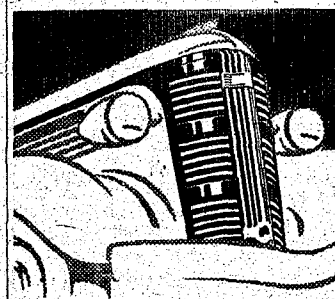
This season seems to be a record breaker for large fish. Several especially fine rainbows have been caught lately, one weighing three pounds and nine ounces being caught near Dam 4 last Friday.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling, in said county, on the 17th day of May A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frans H. Valk, deceased.

George J. Kessler having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of June, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

5-20-4

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

LAND EXCHANGE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the State of Michigan, through the Department of Conservation at Lansing, Michigan, has applied for an exchange of lands under the Act of March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1215). The applicant offers to the Government the following described lands located in Crawford County and totaling 160.00 acres:

T 25 N, R 1 W, Sec. 25, N ½ NE; Sec. 30, NW NE.

T 26 N, R 1 W, Sec. 14, SE NE.

And in exchange desires to obtain title to certain lands located in Lake, Mackinac, Missaukee and Otsego Counties, and lying within State Forest boundaries.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming said lands or having bona fide objections to such application an opportunity to file their protests with this office on or before the date of the last publication thereof.

First publication May 6, 1937. Last publication May 27, 1937. Lyle F. Watts, Regional Forester.

5-6-4

Weevil Enemies Sixty-six kinds of birds are known to feed upon that formidable cotton destroyer, the boll weevil, thus performing a service to mankind of unequaled value. The orioles are said to be the most efficient bird warriors against these insect pests.

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STATE PARK RULES AND REGULATIONS

Michigan State Parks are open and free to the public. Visitors are welcome to use them for the various activities permitted. In order to prevent abuse and misuse of the privileges offered by these parks the following rules and regulations will be enforced:

1. The destruction or injury of any sign, guide post or property of any kind is unlawful. This includes the peeling of bark, carving and chipping of trees, cutting branches, driving nails, digging ground from roots and the removal of trees, shrubs and plants, picking wildflowers, and other injuries.

2. To carry or have firearms in possession in a State Park is unlawful.

3. Throwing of tin cans, bottles, papers, junk or refuse of any kind on the ground or in a lake or stream; or the misuse and abuse of seats, tables and other park equipment is prohibited.

4. Speed limit for motor vehicles on park roads is 20 miles per hour except where otherwise posted.

5. Logs in park must be tied with chain or controlled on a leash, such chain or leash to be of not more than ten feet effective length.

6. The sale of eggs, milk, cream, butter, native fruits and native vegetables by farmers is permitted in State Parks. Such foods must conform to State food laws and the articles offered for sale must have been produced by the vendor. All other vending or peddling in State Parks is prohibited.

7. Building or starting fires in the open or in any place except where proper provisions have been made by State Park authorities or to leave fires while burning is prohibited.

8. Washing or throwing of waste of any kind around well or spring or the use of woods as toilets or the use of toilets for bath houses is prohibited.

9. Persons desiring to camp in State Parks are required to obtain permit before making camp. A permit will be issued to camp 8 days or less on a single site in parks within Oakland, Livingston, Macomb, St. Clair, Ottawa and Bay Counties. The time limit in all other parks will be 15 days on a single site. When time of permit has expired, campers must move from park for twenty-four hours.

To again camp in same park or other parks a new permit must be obtained. Camping in Dodge No. 4, Bloomer No. 2, and Falm's Book State Parks is prohibited.

10. Camping, horseback riding or driving of automobiles or other vehicles on areas (picnic ground, children's playground, bathing beaches, etc.) posted against such traffic or utilization is prohibited.

11. Camping in the park by boys under seventeen years of age unaccompanied by an adult or adults and girls under eighteen years of age unaccompanied by their parents or chaperon is prohibited.

12. Disorderly conduct in the way of drunkenness, vile language, fighting and personal exposure by changing of clothing in automobiles, woods, parks or any other place where person is not properly sheltered is prohibited.

13. The sale of beer, wine or intoxicating beverages in State Parks is prohibited. Sec. 3-a-Act 17, Public Acts, 1921, as amended by Act 337, P. A. 1927, provides that (any persons who shall do or perform any act prohibited by such rules and regulations or who shall fail, refuse or neglect to do or perform any act required by such rules and regulations concerning the use and occupancy of lands and property under the control of said Commission of Conservation, which shall have been made, promulgated and published as in this act provided, during the same time in force and effect, or who shall violate any such rules and regulations thus made shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine of not more than one hundred dollars, together with costs of prosecution, or to imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ninety days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.)

The Park Officer is in full charge of the park with police authority. Inquiries, suggestions or complaints can be filed with the officer or submitted in writing to the Conservation Department.

By Order of Department of Conservation, Lansing, Michigan. These rules and regulations shall be in force and effect until April 1, 1942.

P. J. Hoffmaster, Director. 5-6-3 Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

Clarence Johnson, Plaintiff.

vs.

Charles S. Clark, Frank B. Smith, William H. Wilson, Farwell A. Wilson, William H. Wilson, Earl F. Wilson, Floyd A. Wilson, Mrs. E. A. Corrigan, Frank A. Willson, James A. Leighton, W. Henry Wilson, Mrs. W. M. Schmor, or Their and Each of Their Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees and Assigns, Defendants.

Order of Publication.

At a session of said court held at the court house in the city of Grayling, in said county, on the 13th day of April, 1937.

Present: Hon. John C. Shaffer, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the bill of complaint in said cause and the affidavit of Charles E. Moore attached thereto, from which it satisfactorily appears that the defendants above named, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns are proper and necessary parties defendant in said cause, and,

It further appearing that after diligent search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known whether or not said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them may reside if living, and, if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living, or where they or some of them may reside and further that the present whereabouts of said defendants are unknown, and that the names of the persons included therein without being named, but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry;

On motion of Charles E. Moore, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof, that said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

It is further ordered that within twenty days plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, said publication to be continued therein once each week for six weeks in succession.

This suit is brought to quiet title to the following described piece or parcel of land situate and being in the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

The NW¼ of the SE¼ of Section 17, Town 26 North, Range 4 West.

John C. Shaffer, Circuit Judge.

Charles E. Moore, Attorney for Plaintiff, Grayling, Michigan.

Certified Copy.

Axel M. Peterson, County Clerk.

4-22-6

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

LAND EXCHANGE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the State of Michigan, through the Department of Conservation at Lansing, Michigan, has applied for an exchange of lands under the Act of March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1215). The applicant offers to the United States certain lands located in Baraga, Gogebic, Houghton and Ontonagon Counties lying within National Forest boundaries; and in exchange desires to obtain title to the following described lands located in Crawford County, and lying within the boundary of a certain State Forest, totaling 20.00 acres:

T 25 N, R 3 W, Sec. 13, W ½ NE ¼ NW ¼.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming said lands or having bona fide objections to such application an opportunity to file their protests with this office on or before the date of the last publication thereof.

First publication May 13, 1937. Last publication June 3, 1937.

Lyle F. Watts, Regional Forester.

5-13-4

One Real Battle

There is only one real battle going on everywhere. It has been in progress through all the ages—the continuous battle between right and wrong. In every cause for which men fight, in the struggles of every human soul, still the same two forces are arrayed against each other.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Defaults having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by E. Lorane Sparkes and Lillian A. Sparkes, husband and wife, of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, to Home Owners' Loan Corporation, a Corporation organized under the laws of the United States of America, dated October 25, 1935, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, on October 26, 1935, in Liber 4-mis. of Mortgages, on pages 114-115, and said mortgagee having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare the entire principal and accrued interest thereon due, which election it does hereby exercise, pursuant to which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at the date of this notice for principal and interest plus taxes and insurance paid by mortgagee the sum of two thousand four hundred thirty-four dollars and twenty cents (\$2,434.20) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the Statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, Notice Is Hereby Given that on Monday, July 26, 1937, at 1:00 o'clock afternoon, Eastern Standard Time at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, and any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said premises, and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon, pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

That certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan, more particularly described as:

Lot One (1), Block Six (6) of Hadley's Amended Addition to the Village of Grayling (now City of Grayling) according to the recorded plat thereof, and being a part of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 7, Town 26 North, Range 3 West.

Dated: April 26, 1937.

Home Owners' Loan Corporation, Mortgagee.

Henry Miltner, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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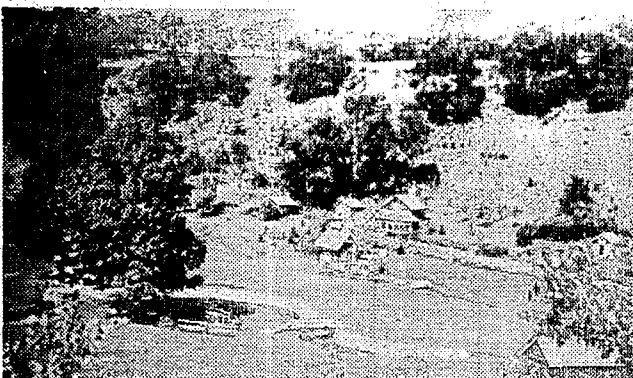
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Roscommon, Mich.

"Little Norway" Rises in Wisconsin



"Nissedahl," the quaint and faithful reproduction of a Norwegian village in the Blue Mounds region of Wisconsin, is Isak Dahle's unusual contribution to the culture of America. Above: Several of the 15 buildings which may be viewed from the highway 25 miles west of Madison. Below: Close-up of two of the structures. The one at right has a sod roof decorated with dragon heads.

A LITTLE slice of Norway nestles today against a wooded hillside in Middle Western America, and so real does it look, you might expect the tiny freshwater stream which passes through it to be bubbling on its merry way to join some Scandinavian fjord. The colorful village, with its eighty-year-old buildings of rough-hewn logs, has been assembled from Norwegian pieces collected by Isak Dahle, Chicago life insurance man. It is but a half-hour's drive from Madison, capital city of Wisconsin.

Mr. Dahle, born in Wisconsin, was inspired early by the legendary history of his Norwegian ancestors, and began his collection at the age of eight. Now one of the finest in the world, it includes silver, woodcarvings, furniture, leather-work, tapestries, glassware and rare books and manuscripts. In 1927 he bought a 160-acre farm and fifteen

old Norse buildings owned by one of the earliest Norwegian settlers in the state. He restored the buildings and used them to house his collection, to preserve for posterity the culture of his people.

The latest addition to the group is the Norway building, official headquarters of the Norwegian government at the 1893 World's Fair in Chicago, which Mr. Dahle obtained from the estate of the late William Wright, Jr.

The picturesque village, a shrine of Norse art and life, for a time visited only by members of the family, is now open to tourists. Mr. Dahle's mother and sister spend their summers there to welcome visitors.

It is Mr. Dahle's intention to endow Nissedahl and arrange for its permanent preservation, perhaps turning it over to a Norwegian-American or historical society.

City Council Proceedings

RECORD OF CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Special Meeting held on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1937, Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by Mayor George Burke.

Councilmen present: Jenson, Roberts, Burke, Milnes, Olsen. Absent: none.

Resolution introduced by A. L. Roberts.

Whereas: The Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works has by letter dated May 6, 1937, approved the award of the sewage disposal contract at Grayling to Davenport and Watson of Lake City, Michigan. Now therefore be it

Resolved: That the Common Council of Grayling award the sewage disposal plant contract Docket No. 1263-D Michigan, in the amount of \$26,867.19, to Davenport and Watson of Lake City, Michigan, and that the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized to sign a contract between the City of Grayling and said Davenport and Watson for construction of sewage disposal plant, when proper bonds have been furnished and approved by the City Attorney and the P.W.A.

Moved by Milnes, supported by Jenson that the resolution be adopted as read.

The roll was called as follows: Ayes: Jenson, Roberts, Burke, Milnes, Olsen. Nays: none.

Moved by Jenson, supported by Olsen that the following resolution be accepted, approved and adopted.

Resolved: That item of \$300.00 for land and right of way under the original sewage disposal plant proposal be withdrawn and the \$300.00 be transferred to the construction cost item, making the construction cost then a total of \$14,375.00.

Yes: Jenson, Roberts, Burke, Milnes, Olsen. Nays: none.

Moved and supported that meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

Geo. A. Granger, City Clerk.

Special Meeting held on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1937, Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by Mayor George Burke.

Councilmen present: Jenson, Roberts, Burke, Milnes, Olsen. Absent: none.

Moved by Olsen, supported by Burke that the offer of the Grayling State Savings Bank of May 6, 1937 on the Grayling Sewage Disposal Plant bonds in the amount of \$22,500.00 be accepted. Passed by unanimous vote.

Moved by Milnes, supported by Roberts that the firm of Hayden and Kunze, consulting engineers, be engaged by the City of Grayling for the amount of \$750.00 to furnish general supervision (one visit each week) on the construction of the Grayling sewage treatment works.

Passed by unanimous vote. Moved by Roberts, supported by Jenson that the resolution of September 3, 1935, relative to water discounts as follows be rescinded and a new one in its place be adopted as follows:

To be rescinded—Resolved that the consumers be allowed a discount of 10% of the amount of the service and consumption charges if such charges are paid on or before the 20th of the month.

New resolution adopted—Resolved: That the consumers be allowed a discount of 10% of the amount of the service and consumption charges if such charges are paid on or before the 25th of the month.

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Passed by unanimous vote. Moved and supported that meeting be adjourned to the 28th of May. Motion carried.

George A. Granger, City Clerk.

The Growth of Bureaucracy

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN
National Chairman
Sensational of the Republic

During the past five years the population of the District of Columbia, seat of our national government, has increased more than 22 per cent.

No state, or group of states, has approached that rate of growth during the same period. It compares with a population increase of 3.9 per cent for the nation as a whole.

What caused the jump? A recent report of the Census Bureau, whose estimates supply the figures, attributes it to an unprecedented peacetime influx of Federal employees to jobs in the scores of new bureaus and commissions functioning during the past few years at Washington.

These are significant facts. They introduce an arresting element of novelty in the American picture. Except during the brief emergencies of war-time our most striking growths heretofore have occurred along what might be described as our geographical and industrial frontiers.

Population increased at the swiftest pace in states where new and productive lands were being developed by agriculture; in cities where new and productive industries were originating and expanding.

Inevitably such growth meant greater opportunity for the men and women who took part in the development; greater wealth for the nation and its citizens as a whole.

But an unprecedented increase of job-holders at Washington has quite a different meaning. It shows only a growth of Bureaucracy. Unlike the men and women who, by their energy and their labors, continue to develop America and to bear the costs of its government, many political job-holders produce little or nothing. They consume, instead—out of the share of all men and women who labor in the home, on the farm, in the factory or in business.

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LITTLE STORIES FOR BEDTIME

by Thornton W. Burgess

THE LAST OF THE ROBBER RATS.

ALMOST at the heels of the last frightened rat, fleeing from the house of Billy Mink's friend, the farmer, appeared Billy Mink himself. The rat started for the big barn, but Billy caught him before he was half way there.

The farmer, who had been watching, knew that that was the last rat. He knew it because he knew that Billy would not have shown himself outside as long as there was a rat left inside. At once the

up his mind that the farmer was his friend and that was sufficient.

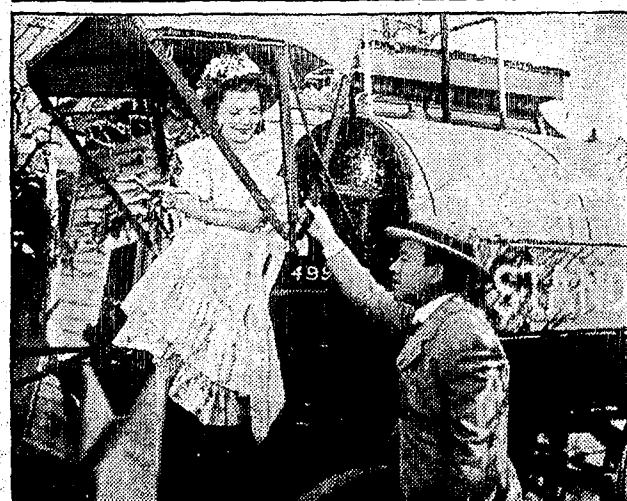
After catching that last rat to leave the house, Billy went over to the woodpile where he was making his home. It didn't take him long to discover that some of those rats were hiding in the woodpile, and he promptly hunted them out of there just as he had hunted them out of the house. Then, being tired, he curled up for a nap.

For two or three days after that Billy Mink hunted rats. He hunted them until there was not one of that robber gang left in the big barn, the henhouse, or under the woodpile. In fact, there wasn't one of those robber rats left on the farm. Where those who had escaped had gone, the farmer didn't know, and Billy Mink didn't know, and neither of them cared. The farmer was so happy at being rid of those robbers that it seemed as if he couldn't do enough for Billy Mink. He kept Billy supplied with good things to eat, so that Billy didn't know what it was to be really hungry. He grew as fat as a mink can be, and he grew lazy as well.

Now Billy Mink is not naturally lazy. He is one of the most active of all the little people of the Green Forest and the Green Meadows. Not having to hunt for his food, Billy found little to do but eat and sleep, and after a week of this he began to get uneasy. He began to long for excitement and new scenes. And so one night Billy left his comfortable quarters and started back for the Laughing Brook in the Green Forest near Farmer Brown's, the place he really called home. He was anxious to find out if any of his friends there had been caught in the traps which had been the cause of his leaving the Laughing Brook. The next morning the food put out by the farmer for him was untouched, and the farmer knew that Billy had left. He was sorry.

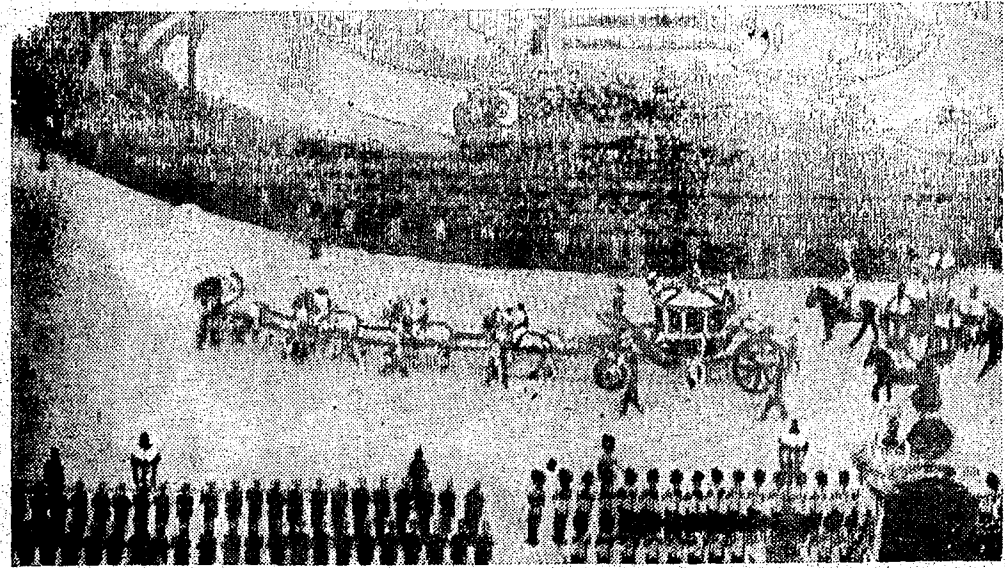
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A TANK WAGON BUILT FOR TWO



Peggy Shannon, as "Sally," is thanking Robert Armstrong, as "Stan Wright," for a ride on his horse-drawn tank wagon, back in their "courtship days," in the new Hollywood motion picture "Stan." The film, which is sponsored by the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, is being shown this summer by representatives of the Company throughout the central west.

Coronation—History's Greatest Pageant



London.—England's coronation procession, hailed by 6,000,000 onlookers as the world's greatest show, as it passed Victoria fountain on the way to Westminster Abbey. The royal coach, bearing the king and queen, is in the foreground. International News Radiophoto.

Crowned King and Queen of England



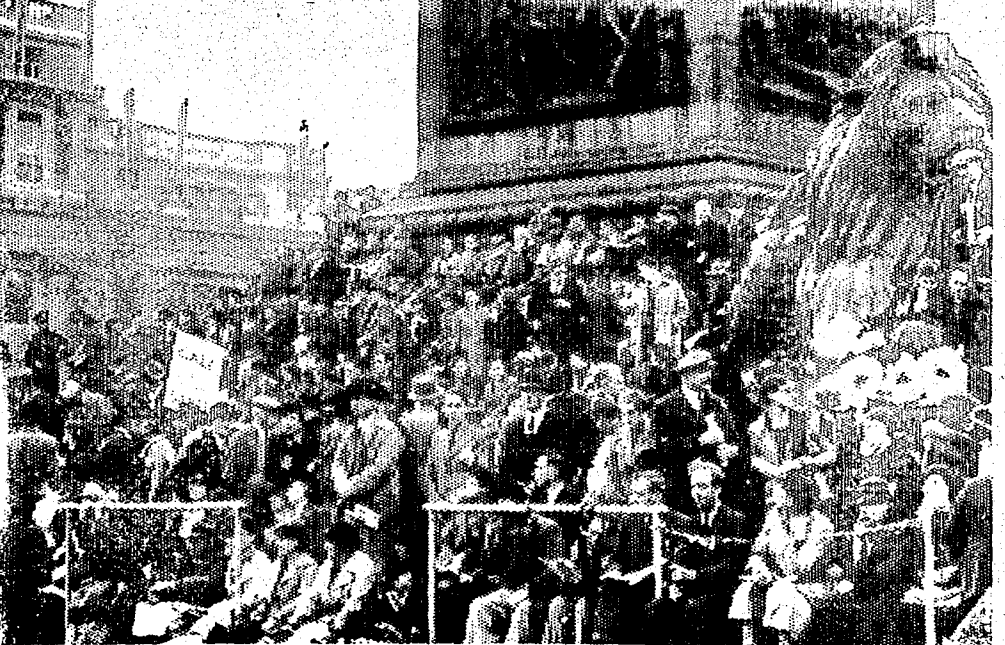
London.—Still arrayed in their regalia of the most glorious coronation the world has ever seen, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth are shown on the balcony of Buckingham palace as they responded to the cheers of thousands of their subjects who gathered outside. Between them are the Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose. International News Radiophoto.

Resplendent Nobles in Coronation Pomp



London.—Mounted on prancing chargers in gorgeous trappings, the foremost nobles of all the British empire, garbed in colorful uniforms, ride to the coronation of their monarch. International News Radiophoto.

Hold Seats All Night for Coronation



London.—Under the famous lions guarding Lord Nelson's monument at Trafalgar square, early comers held seats all night that they might have a good view of the coronation procession. More than 6,000,000 persons saw the pageant. International News Radiophoto.

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LOCALS

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1937

Miss Eva Madson is assistant bookkeeper in the Burke Garage.

Leslie Hunter and Vilho Wirtanen spent the first of the week visiting relatives in Flint.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Loper, Friday, a daughter, Christina Mae.

St. Mary's Altar society is meeting at St. Mary's parish hall this afternoon.

We have a large stock of men's White Oxfords, to be sold at the old low prices, at Olsons.

Miss Yvonne LaGrow entertained the "Just Us" club at the home of Mrs. William LaGrow, Tuesday evening.

The Boy Scouts will sell Buddy poppies during next week for the Harry Hemmingsen Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Several members of the Eastern Star Chapter will go to Onaway Saturday to attend a meeting of the Wolverine Association.

On the occasion of the birthday anniversary Monday, of Nelson Corwin, there was a family gathering at his home that evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cameron and daughter Mrs. J. J. Corrigan, and son Clare, of Detroit, are visiting old friends here for a couple of days.

Bugby's Notion Store is holding a clearance sale beginning on May 22 and ending May 29, closing out a number of items at bargain.

Men's and boy's Tennis Shoes—Special, 99c.—Grayling Mercantile Co.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson (Ellen Johnson) of Roscommon at Mercy Hospital, a son weighing 10 pounds and 10 ounces. His name is James.

The Danish Ladies Aid wish to thank those who so generously contributed to their rummage sale; especially those who are not members of their church.

Mrs. William LaGrow entertained some little tots and their mothers Tuesday afternoon, the occasion being the first birthday of her daughter, Sue Marie.

The younger group of the Campfire Girls, known as the Bluebird Girls, will give an operetta entitled "The land of dreams comes true," on June 3rd at the school auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilcox of Saginaw were guests of Mrs. Wilcox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox had just returned from an extended honeymoon trip.

Peter Larson was pleasantly surprised Saturday on his 75th birthday. Several relatives were invited in to help celebrate the event. A midnight buffet lunch was served and the center of attraction was a huge birthday cake.

Mrs. James Carrièreau of Detroit has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert LaMotte, and new grandson Robert Lee, for a couple of weeks. She will be joined tomorrow by the remainder of her family and all will return to Detroit Sunday.

Attend the opening dance at Horseshoe Lake Saturday night, May 22nd.

Louis Massett of Detroit, owner of Sunset Tavern at Higgins Lake, has built a cabin on the AuSable near the property of Mrs. Frieda Lenart, and is catering to fishermen and sportsmen. Meals are served and rooms furnished. The place is known as Louis Cabin.

At a special meeting of the Women's Democratic club Friday evening, Mrs. Albert Charron was elected president to fill the place of Mrs. Clyde Ketcham, who has left Grayling. At this time also Mrs. James McDonnell and Mrs. John Brady were appointed delegates to attend the annual meeting of the State Federation of Democratic Women's clubs to be held in the near future at the Book-Cadillac hotel.

A. J. Joseph, Clarence Johnson, Carl Johnson, Dr. C. R. Keyport, Dr. J. F. Cook, "Spike" McNeven, Ernest Borchers, Chris Hoesli, Frank Bennett, Lon Collins, Wilhelm Raab, Louis Heribson, and Dr. Howell of Alma, enjoyed a fishing trip down river Sunday and a fish fry prepared by Don Wolfe at the Louis Heribson cabin. Four canoes conveyed the fishermen from Grayling down the AuSable, they fishing enroute.

Clayton Straehly and daughter Annabelle left Tuesday morning for Kalamazoo to attend the funeral of a sister, Mrs. Isabelle Slear who passed away Sunday. There were sixteen children in the Straehly family and the brothers and sisters surviving the deceased include besides Mr. Straehly, Mrs. Margaret Burton, Monroe, Mrs. Nellie Adams, Coldwater; Miss Jennie Straehly, Ventura, Calif.; Isaac of Bronson, Mich., and Elliot of Sturgis.

See our Air Conditioned Oxfords for men, in tan and white, at Olsons.

Mrs. Dan Babbitt entered Mercy Hospital Monday for a minor operation.

Mrs. Joe Bielski underwent a minor operation at Mercy Hospital Saturday morning.

Mrs. B. J. Callahan and sons, Ted and Bernard, were in Traverse City Friday on business.

Horseshoe Lake will open Saturday, May 22nd for the season. Attend the opening dance that night.

Mrs. Harold Jarmin and son Brad and Miss Pauline Lietz drove to Traverse City Tuesday on business.

Four carloads of Eastern Star ladies attended the School of Instruction held in Roscommon Monday night.

Monday morning William LaGrow and Fritz Heath made a business trip to Detroit for the Nehi Bottling Works.

Mrs. David Moore of Higgins Lake has purchased a Chevrolet Master DeLuxe Town sedan of the Hanson Chevrolet Sales.

Howard Smith has taken over the Earl Nelson gas station on U. S. 27. Mr. Nelson expects to attend a radio school to take a course.

Wm. Entsminger has resigned his position at the Schoonover Garage and has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the Hoover sweeper.

The Crawford County Child Health committee will meet this month at the Town Hall in Maple Forest township on Thursday, May 27th, at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Jack Clark has resigned her position as chief operator for the Tri-County Telephone Co., and Mrs. Annabelle Stephan is replacing her in the local exchange.

William LaGrow has given up his job at the Rialto Theatre and has joined the force at the Nehi Bottling Works. His job at the show house is being taken by Kenneth Gothro.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. VanVleck from Bellefontaine, Ohio, are spending a few weeks at their resort at Lake Margrethe, getting the grounds and buildings in readiness for the resort season.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan of Detroit have come to Grayling to make their home at one of the Randolph cottages for the summer. They spent the week end in East Jordan visiting relatives.

B. K. Buchen, educational director at Camp AuSable has resigned to accept a position at the state prison at Ionia. Captain G. E. Murphy and family have moved into the Reagan house vacated by the Buchens.

Amos Hoesli met with an accident Monday night near Frederic when he hit a deer on the highway, damaging his car so badly that he had to leave it at Frederic for repairs. It will be necessary to purchase a new grill radiator.

Word has been received of the birth of a son Ronald Edward, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Decker of Sparland, Ill., on May 4. Mr. Decker, who formerly lived in Grayling and attended school here will be remembered as "Barney" Decker.

Several styles of men's White Oxfords at \$2.95 and \$3.50, at Olsons.

To provide deer browse in an area of the Bear swamp in the Crawford State Game Refuge west of Lake Margrethe, CCC enrollees of Camp Kalkaska will plant approximately 200,000 hardwood tree seedlings during the month of May, it has been announced here.

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T. D. Voller and wife will be at the Free Methodist church May 21st to 23rd to hold quarterly services. Sunday services: Sunday School at 10 A. M.; Preaching and love feast at 11:00 A. M.; Evening services will begin at 8:45. The people of Grayling are cordially invited to attend all these services and hear this man of God.

The Michigan State Board of Examiners for registration of architects, engineers and surveyors announces the next examinations for architects to be given at the University of Detroit, and the examinations for engineers and surveyors to be given at the University of Detroit the Michigan State College, the Michigan College of Mines and at Iron-

wood on June 21st, 22nd and 23rd, 1937. Application blanks and full information may be obtained by writing to the office of the Board, 306 Transportation Bldg., Detroit.

Children's Tennis Shoes as low as 68 cents, at Olsons.

Bernard Callahan reported to Roscommon Monday for work on the railroad section.

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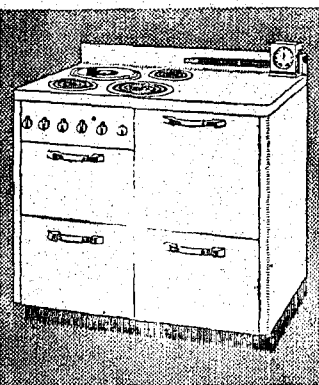
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bulk, lb.		pkg.	
SARDINES IN OIL	25c	CORN (Golden Bantam), PEAS, WAX	25c
Can .50c; 6 for		BEANS, GREEN STRING BEANS,	
MILK	7c	TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 3 for	
(Armour's) can		COCOA (Blue Mill)	15c
CORN BEEF	19c	2 lb. can	
(Armour's) 12 oz.		MATCHES	23c
CORN BEEF	35c	6 box carton	
(Armour's) 24 oz. can		APPLE BUTTER	19c
SPAGHETTI	1.07	qt. jar	
In 20 lb. box		POWDERED SUGAR	25c
DOG FOOD	25c	3 lbs.	
(Armour's) 3 cans		PRUNES	20c
CREAM FLAKE PASTRY FLOUR	25c	bulk, lb.	7c; 3 lbs.
5 lb. sack		DILL PICKLES	15c
CHILI CON CARNE	10c	quart	
can		MOLASSES	29c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	25c	1/2 gallon	
47 oz. can		GRANULATED SUGAR	5 1/2c
SALAD DRESSING	25c	1 lb.	
qt. jar		COFFEE (Circle W)	17c
SANDWICH SPREAD	25c	lb.	
jar	10c, 15c and	COFFEE (White House)	70c
AMMONIA	10c	lb. .25c; 3 lb. box	
qt. bottle		COFFEE (Silver Moon)	28c
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School Notes

Baseball Team Wins One And Loses One

The Green and White split even during the past week as they won from Mancelona on the home lot and lost to Gaylord away from home.

The Mancelona contest furnished excitement for a good sized crowd as first one side then the other came close to being injured by foul balls that refused to fall where gloves and mitts were being held. At one stage the catcher, a girl on a bicycle, and a fox terrier all seemed to be waiting at one place for the ball to descend. However the ball proved obstinate and elected to pick a good clear spot of sand to land on.

Anthony pitched good ball and deserved to win as the opposition was held to 3 hits while the local batsmen were collecting 12 from the opposition.

Tuesday the Northern Lights journeyed to Gaylord and were walloped 12-0 by our rivals from the north.

This marks the first defeat for Grayling this spring and brings the idea of a playoff for the northern championship playoff as distinctly more than a possibility.

During the past few weeks the Seniors had met with a representative from a number of schools. Recently Dr. Voelker, a former Superintendent of Public Instruction, and now President of the Davenport-McLachlan School of Grand Rapids, addressed the Seniors and since then representatives of the Lewis-Chapin School in Traverse City, and the Better Business Institute of Saginaw, have had the same opportunity.

Glee Club Gives Dancing Party

Speaking of dances, the high school gym was the scene of a lively dancing party last Thursday as the hop that was "agitated for" by the Glee Club got under way.

Getting the rust out of the knee joints in preparation for the J-Hop proved a pleasure and a considerable number of the students and teachers availed themselves of the opportunity.

Tonight, Thursday, May 20th, a representative of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association will address a public meeting at the High School during which movies of health work will be shown. Admission is free and everybody is urged to attend.

Plan to Attend Music Festival
May 29th the Girls Glee Club, under the sponsorship of Miss Bath, plan to attend the East Jordan Music Festival.

Wednesday, May 19th, a goodly crowd gathered at the High School when the Visual Method Piano class under the direction of Miss Elinor Zettie gave their recital.

The various numbers on the program were well received and the class and the director are to be congratulated on their fine work.

Those taking part in the recital were:

Wanda Doroh, Richard Nelson, Phyllis Milks, Larry McNamara, Joyce Kochanowski, Ann Bidvia, Maxine Clise, Rose Bishaw, Rose Stephan, Herbert Wheeler, Jeanne Bishaw, Dorothy Smith.

Natalie Johnson, Zina Stephan, Arline Laage, Robert Nelson, Alma Bidvia, Leona Jorgenson, Elaine Broadbent, Burton Peterson, Aileen Larson.

Ruth Ann Kernosky, Edwin Funck, Yette Stephan, Thelma Papendick, Jack Redhead.

NATURE'S CORONATION

It's Nature's coronation every Spring, with the opening of the buds new life is all about us. Our capacity to see and enjoy our challenge each day now. No greater influence in building beauty and offering joy messengers than the Charlevoix County Nursery owned and operated by our resorter Geo. R. Hemingway of Oak Park, Illinois. His deep interest in the growing trees and flowers has been shared with every community in northern Michigan.

Mr. Hemingway reports very favorably wintering of nursery material which gives evidence of added hardness to the choice Northern grown evergreens, shrubs and ornamental trees and hardy flowers. The nursery being near the Ironton Ferry has the influence of being almost surrounded by water and is free from early and late frosts.

Mr. Hemingway cordially invites visitors at all times to enjoy the season's blooms. The famous Japanese cherries will soon offer an unusual treat. Planting time is here and this season a new "cash and carry" plan is giving exceptional values.

Rabbits Drink at Night

Wild rabbits, which live in most suburban territories, making themselves freely at home in the gardens, large and small, do most of their water drinking at night, when life is generally safer for them.

BOY SCOUTS GUESTS OF KIWANIS CLUB

(Continued from front page)

entertainment and closing the meeting with a ball. Of course members should be there with their ladies.

Kiwanian, Holger F. Peterson, chairman of the financial committee to raise \$300 for Boy Scout purposes, took charge of the scout program, which had been arranged by Scoutmaster Harley Russell.

Scout John Henry Peterson assembled the members in a line and an inspiring demonstration was given of scout characteristics. In turn a scout would step forward, light a candle and relate how:

"A scout is trustworthy."

"A scout is loyal."

"A scout is helpful."

"A scout is friendly."

"A scout is courteous."

"A scout is kind."

"A scout is obedient."

"A scout is cheerful."

"A scout is thrifty."

"A scout is brave."

"A scout is clean."

"A scout is reverent."

As each scout lighted his candle he also explained his part of the scout characteristics.

And for good measure the Kiwanians were administered the scout oath, after which each was presented with an honorary scout lapel button.

Photographs of the diners were taken by Photographer A. J. Trudeau.

Mr. Cristman, told briefly of the program for scout activity and what it held out for the good of young boys in this community. He cited a number of examples of young men who owed much to their training as scouts for their business and social successes.

County to Raise \$300

In order to bring scouting in this county up to a higher standard the service of a field executive have been procured. Whether boys of our community will become desirable or undesirable citizens depends largely upon how their characters are developed. The coaching by a trained scout official helps to build better characters and the money invested means that it is being spent for building better young men—investing in boys.

A campaign to raise the necessary fund was started this Thursday morning and it looks as tho the committee would go over the top before the day is ended. Should there be more money raised than is needed the surplus will be preserved for use in another year. Holger F. Peterson and A. J. Joseph are officially in charge of the campaign.

While committees are busy calling on people for contributions to the fund many who might desire to help may be missed. If you feel that you can afford to invest a few dollars in young boys (or even less than a dollar if preferred) it will be most welcome. Enroll as a contributor to this splendid benevolent enterprise by seeing either Mr. Peterson or Mr. Joseph, or any one of the soliciting committee, or the Avalanche office and a receipt will be given you, and your name be duly recorded in the campaign records.

IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Izaak Walton League was held last week Thursday night at Odd Fellow Temple. Among the important matters to come up for discussion was that of an open season for archery hunting and of opening the trout fishing season prior to May 1st. Resolutions effecting these matters will be presented the league at the next regular meeting.

In a drive for membership, those present were given the names of non-members who might be induced to become members of the league. The membership of the league is at present 110, but, according to President Royal A. Wright, it is expected to increase this number to 200 within a short time.

A petition by residents of Maple Forest, Frederic and Lovells townships to open the lakes in those townships for winter fishing was submitted and according to the discussions it appears that the sentiment was for opening these lakes the same as bass lakes. The matter was referred to a committee composed of A. M. Peterson, Ernest Borchers, Clyde Glover and Clare Madsen.

There were discussions pertaining to having one big organization sponsor all public activities in the county. The matter of establishing skeet shooting received favorable comment.

Pres. Wright presented two reels of motion pictures showing fishing and hunting scenes in Wisconsin and Oregon. Those present enjoyed, after the close of the meeting, a Dutch lunch.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening, June 8th at the Courthouse.



HANDICAPPED BY NATURE

A short man entered the gymnasium and nervously approached the instructor.

"I want you to make my arms longer," he whispered. "Do you think you can do it?"

The instructor looked puzzled. "But they are in proportion!" he exclaimed. "Why do you want them altered?"

"I know they're in proportion," said the short man, "but they're too short for my purpose. I can't hold my own at the Anglers' Club." —Stray Stories Magazine.

The Start

A surgeon, an architect and a politician were arguing as to whose profession was the oldest. Said the surgeon: "Eve was made from Adam's rib, and that surely was a surgical operation."

"Maybe," said the architect, "but prior to that, order was created out of chaos, and that was an architectural job."

"But," interrupted the politician, "somebody created the chaos first!"

WRONG AGAIN



"That fellow is a Bolshevik in disguise."

"Nonsense! A Bolshevik never disguises. He advertises."

Metaphysical Culture

"Do you think there is any such thing as mind reading?"

"No," said Senator Sorghum, "and I hope there never will be. As an exact science mind reading would open the way for an unlimited number of suits for attacks on private and public character."

The Importance of Print

"A radio speaker reaches an immense audience."

"Yes," said Miss Cayenne, "but I still subscribe to my newspaper. I know of no radio talker who makes any great impression unless he can get his remarks into print."

More Picturesque Calculation

"Is your boy Josh much help around the farm?"

"Yes," replied Farmer Corntassel. "He manages to make farming more interesting than it was by using algebra to figure out the losses."

Honk! Honk!

Frank—I once ran into a flock of geese while I was doing seventy miles an hour.

John—I'll bet you were scared.

Frank—No, but I was covered with goose-flesh.

Hired Provisionally

Pat (to Irish foreman)—Can you give me a job, mate?

Foreman—O'f'we got a man here today that ain't come, an' if he don't turn up tomorrow, O'f'we send him away an' take you on.

Dropped in to Lunch

In America a parachutist landed on a table set for a meal on the roof-garden of a house. It appears that he is a friend of the family and had often been urged to drop in to lunch. —London Humorist.

First Aid

She—Why did you drink the brandy we saved for illness?

He—I was ill.

"Why didn't you tell me?"

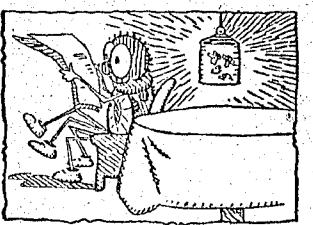
"I didn't want to frighten you."

Mental Attitude

"I wouldn't marry the best man on earth," said the irate young woman.

"And if you did," said Miss Cayenne, "you'd never believe it."

MORE CURRENT



"This light is getting dim. 'I'll have to run out and get a few more fireflies."

Who's Lifetime?

"But you guaranteed that this watch would last me a lifetime!"

"I know—but you didn't look very healthy the day you bought it." —Leviston Journal.

THROUGH A Woman's Eyes

By JEAN NEWTON

TAKING A LESSON FROM THE DOG TRAINER

THE man who has trained and owns eighty dog actors and actresses who are familiar to most of us for the phenomenal tricks they perform in the movies, was asked how he accomplished the feat of training dogs to carry on what seem to be human conversations, imitating the inflections of the human voice, and to perform intricate and complicated sequence of acting.

"Patience," he said. "Tons of it, days and weeks of it. And kindness always. You'll never get anywhere by abusing a dog. And consideration. Never try to teach a tired pup anything."

The interviewer referred to the particularly astonishing performance of the dogs in a certain picture, and asked about the procedure for working such wonders with them. The man demonstrated some of the signals to which the dogs respond, saying "Sometimes I have to show them the signals two hundred times before they get them. They probably think you're a bit foolish for wanting them to do such silly things, but if they love you—and they won't unless you love them—get that—they'll do what you ask to please you."

Patience again. And consideration. Love.

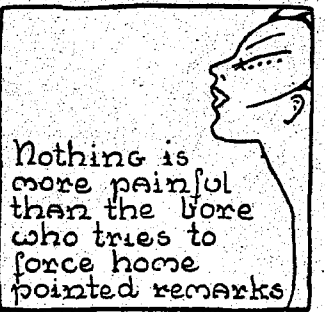
How like us humans the dogs are! They respond to patience, consideration, love. And the best way to get them to love you is to love them!

That isn't so strange. The strange thing which this story of the movie dogs brings to mind is that people who want to get results with human beings don't make the study of it and put forth the effort to get results which the man is so willing to do who is dealing with dogs.

People who want to get humans to work for them never stop to think of the workers' point of view or study how to appeal to them. That's where the man who wants dogs to work for him can teach us a lesson.

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Eve's Epigrams



Nothing is more painful than the bore who tries to force home pointed remarks.

Mother's Cook Book

TIMELY RECIPES

A GOOD stuffing to use for fish is the following, which all will like:

Pickle and Caper Stuffing.

Mix thoroughly the following ingredients: One cupful of cracker crumbs, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-fourth teaspoonful of paprika or a mixture of paprika and cayenne, one teaspoonful each of chopped onion, minced parsley, capers and pickles finely chopped; add one-fourth cupful of melted butter. This makes a dry stuffing; if liked moist, add a little milk. If capers are not liked, substitute a teaspoonful of lemon juice.

For a delicious filling for sandwiches, cream peanut butter with water, using one-half cupful of the butter and one-fourth cupful of water, hot. When well blended add one-half cupful of chopped pickle. Sour chopped pickle added to salmon salad improves it. Freshly grated coconut is also an addition to salmon salad.

Carrot Soup.

Wash, scrape and slice thin twelve medium-sized carrots. Place in a saucepan with two tablespoonfuls of butter, season with salt and cayenne pepper and a teaspoonful of sugar. Cook slowly, turning constantly until the carrots begin to brown. Add two cupfuls of good broth and simmer slowly until the carrots are glazed. Remove, press through a fruit press or strainer, return to the broth and simmer until hot, then serve.

Apple Jam With Cinnamon Candy.

Take four and one-half cupfuls or two and one-fourth pounds of ripe unpeeled apples, cut into quarters and add one-half cupful of water. Cover tightly and simmer for five minutes or until the apples are soft. Put through a sieve to remove the skins. Measure apples, sugar, five cupfuls or two and one-fourth pounds, add the fruit and sugar with two-thirds of a cupful of cinnamon candies, bring to a full rolling boil in a kettle over a hot fire, boil hard one minute, remove from the fire and add one-fourth of a cupful of pectin. Skim and pour quickly. Cover with a thin film of paraffin; when cold add another.

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WHAT HAVE SHOES TO DO WITH BEER?

Nothing—except that all shoes look pretty much alike. It is hard to determine the quality just by appearance.

Different brands of beer look a lot alike, too. It's the way they are made that counts.

Altes Lager is brewed to the private recipe of Louis W. Schimmel. This gives you a beer of highest quality and different from ordinary brews. That's why Altes Lager can never be successfully imitated. The only thing like it is another bottle of Altes Lager.

THE BEER IN THE GREEN BOTTLE

Altes Lager

Buy A Poppy.

(Q) How much are the poppies sold for? (A) No set price, is asked, you give as much as you wish.

(Q) How much does the Veteran get for making the poppy? (A) One cent per poppy is paid the veteran.

(Q) When are the poppies made? (A) During the winter months.

(Q) Who finances the manufacture of the red crepe paper poppy? (A) The American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary.

(Q) How do I know that I am buying an American Legion poppy? (A) The red crepe paper poppy is the American Legion poppy. It has an attached label designating the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary.

(Q) How often do you have the poppy sale? (A) Once a year, the Saturday preceding Memorial Day.

(Q) Why do we wear a poppy? (A) We wear a poppy in memory of those men of the World War who paid the supreme sacrifice.

(Q) Why do we buy a poppy? (A) We buy a poppy to help provide a service to those men of the World War who are the unfortunate of that war and who need assistance for themselves and for their families.

(Q) When did the poppy first come into prominence? (A) When Col. John McCrae wrote his poem "In Flanders Field."

(Q) Why did the Legion adopt the Poppy as its memorial flower? (A) Because the poppy has a very definite connection with world war service. The poppy grew everywhere in France and was a familiar sight to the men who were "over there."

(Q) When did the American Legion adopt the poppy as its memorial flower? (A) The American Legion adopted the poppy as its memorial flower in the fall of 1920. In the fall of 1921 the American Legion Auxiliary at its first National Convention adopted the poppy as its memorial flower. It has been their memorial flower ever since.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Entering the hospital the past week were:

Mrs. George L. Alexander, Emory Craft, Jr., Grayling; Roy Vipond, Kalkaska; Andrew Brelick, Iowa.

Those dismissed include: Mrs. Joseph Bielski, Mrs. Richard Hartin, Mrs. Robert LaMotte and baby; Baby Patricia Means, Grayling.

Mrs. Bruno Curnalia and baby, Roscommon.

Mrs. Walter Yeoman, Mrs. Norman Gerow and babies, Gaylord.

Mrs. Albert LaMachio, Detroit.

St. Vitus

St. Vitus was a child martyr of the Diocletian period, who was invoked by persons suffering from epilepsy and nervous diseases. It is said that such persons at one time danced before the image of the saint.



Monotony produces fatigue. Statistics show that some of our most serious accidents—in fact, the largest percentage of them—are caused by drivers smashing up on straight roads.

Possibly the solution is to have winding roads well marked, so that the attention of the driver will be on his driving at all times. While many accidents do

occur, of course, on hills and curves, a great many others occur on wide, straight, smooth highways.

It's all very well to increase your alertness when the road is full of twists, turns, and hills. Never let yourself take it too easy at any time while driving an automobile.

Footprint of Columbus

San Salvador, in the West Indies, is supposed to have been the place where Columbus first set foot in America. A rock there has a footprint, petrified through the years, which the natives insist is that of the discoverer.

LITTLE STORIES FOR BEDTIME

by Thornton W. Burgess



NO ONE BELIEVES PETER RABBIT

IT IS hard not to be believed. Ask Peter Rabbit. He knows. Yes, indeed, he knows. It is hard enough not to be believed when one is not telling the truth, but to tell the truth and then have everybody tell you that they don't believe you is worse still. Anyway, Peter Rabbit thinks so. To make it worse, it was great news that Peter had to tell, and, of course, he might just as well have had no news at all.

It all came from Peter's curiosity to see the deepest part of the Green



"They Were as Big as the Tracks of Farmer Brown's Boy," said Peter, His Big Eyes Round With Excitement.

Forest when everything was covered with snow. Of course, he had to satisfy that curiosity. It wouldn't have been like Peter not to have done so. So off he went all by himself way into the deepest part of the Green Forest, close to the foot of the Great Mountain, and there he found it so still that he could feel the stillness. Anyway, that's what he said. And it was so lonesome there that Peter would have been afraid of his own shadow had he seen it. He had made up his mind that no one ever visited that part of the Green Forest, at least not in the winter time, when suddenly he saw tracks. And such tracks! It was those tracks that had made Peter all his present trouble. You see, no one would believe Peter when he told about those tracks.

The first one Peter saw after getting back to the dear Old Briar Patch was Sammy Jay, and though Peter doesn't like Sammy, he just

had to tell him about those strange tracks.

"They were as big as the tracks of Farmer Brown's boy," said Peter, his big eyes round with excitement.

"Probably he made them," said Sammy Jay shortly.

"But they were not his tracks, only something like his—the ones he makes in the mud around the Swimming Pool when he goes swimming in the summer, and you know as well as I do that he never makes that kind of tracks in the winter, Sammy Jay," cried Peter.

Sammy looked sharply at Peter and began to laugh.

"Besides," Peter hurried on, "whoever made those tracks had claws, great, great big claws!"

Sammy laughed harder than ever and in the most provoking way. "Do you expect me to believe any such story as that, Peter Rabbit?" he demanded. "You better not talk to me about not telling the truth when you tell such a story as that," and off flew Sammy, still laughing to think that Peter should try to make him believe such a foolish story.

Peter looked after him and scratched his head thoughtfully. "Those tracks did look something like those of Farmer Brown's boy," he muttered. "They were rounder, but they were big and they had toes and—well, perhaps they didn't look very much like them, but they did look something like them, and I said 'something.' I believe I'll go tell Chatterer the Red Squirrel about them."

But Chatterer laughed at Peter just as Sammy Jay had. "You've had a bad dream, Peter: That's what's the matter with you. Who ever heard of any one in the Green Forest who made tracks like those. Why, Bowser the Hound makes the biggest tracks with claw marks, as you ought to know by this time. You've had a dream, Peter, and now you better run away and forget it."

It was the same way with Tommy Tit the Chickadee and Mrs. Grouse and Billy Mink, and every one else he told the story to. Every one laughed at him and no one believed him. Poor Peter grew quite miserable, for he knew what his eyes had seen, and it was dreadfully hard to be laughed at and have fun poked at him just because he insisted that he had seen those strange tracks.

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